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In the application of :  
LYNDA N. CRESCENTINI : Group Art Unit: 3741  
Serial No. 09/067,234 :  
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For DISTINCTIVE PROTECTIVE :  
HEADGEAR :

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To the Commissioner:

I, **Lynda N. Crescentini**, declare that I am a citizen of the United States of America, residing at Wesley Chapel, Florida; AND

That I have read the specification and claims of the subject application and any amendments identified therein and understand the same, and I verily believe that I am the original, first, and sole inventor of the invention, **Distinctive Protective Headgear**, described and claimed therein; AND

That I acknowledge a duty to disclose information I am aware of which is material to the examination of this application, in accordance with Rule 56(a) of the Rules in Patent Cases [37 CFR 1.56(a)];

That this application at least in part discloses and claims subject matter disclosed in my earlier filed pending application, Serial No. 08/692,010 filed 2 August 1996; AND

That, as to the subject matter of this application which is common to said earlier application, I do not know and do not believe that the same was ever known or used in the United States before my invention thereof, or patented or described in any printed publication in any country before my invention thereof, or more than one year prior to said earlier application; or in public use or on sale in the United States more than one year prior to said earlier application; that said common subject matter has not been patented or made the subject of an inventor's certificate issued before said earlier application in any country foreign to the United States on an application filed by me or my legal representatives or assigns more than twelve months prior to said earlier application; and that no application for patent or inventor's certificate on said invention has been filed by me or my representatives or assigns in any country.



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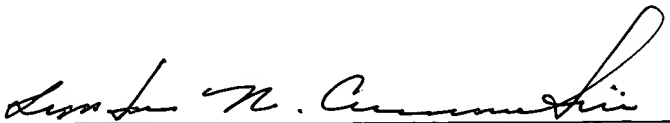
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Date: May 21, 1999



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